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January 15th, 1919

Dr. C. Furst,

Secretary, Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching,

576 Fifth Avenue, New York.

My dear Dr. Furst:

You will remember that when I was in New York at the end of November I left with you material concerning the possibility of a pension being granted to Mrs. Meebrook, the widow of the late President of the University of British Columbia. I have been asked whether there is any likelihood of a pension being granted to her. I hope that it will be possible for the Foundation to do something for her as I was told yesterday in Ottawa that she has very little to live on.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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THE CARNEGIE FOUNDATION
FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF TEACHING
576 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK

OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY

February 5, 1919.

My dear Sir Robert:-

Several of my friends at the City Club, which is near this office on 44th Street, have expressed the hope that you might be inclined to become a member of the Club. A number of our trustees and other friends find such membership convenient. The cost for out of town members is very small, the house provides lodging as well as food and unlike most New York clubs one may take any number of guests there any time without formality. Mr. Whitmore, the membership secretary, is sending you a club book and will be glad to give any further information. Either Mr. Franks or Mr. Bertram or Mr. Poynton or I will be glad tosecond your nomination if this should be your pleasure.

With all good greetings.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

Sir Robert Falconer,
University of Toronto,
Toronto, Canada.

February 10th, 1919

Dr. Clyde Furst,
Secretary Carnegie Foundation,
576 Fifth Avenue,
New York.

Dear Dr. Furst:

I have had a letter from Mr. Whitmore supplementing your very kind suggestion that I should join the City Club of New York. I have written him that I appreciate the offer and the only point that makes me hesitate is whether I can at the moment add to my Clubs. Before, however, I give a definite reply I should like to have a chance of talking with you, as I hope to be able to do when I am in New York next week. If the matter can be held over until then I shall be much obliged to you.

With renewed thanks, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

February 28th, 1919

Dr. Clyde Furst,

Secretary, Carnegie Foundation,

576 Fifth Avenue,

New York.

Dear Dr. Furst:

You were good enough to say that you would endeavour to get the Committee of the Carnegie Foundation to determine shortly whether standing could be given to those members of our staff who many years ago owing to the stringency of the financial situation of the University undertook duties at a very low salary which had they been entered upon now would have given them a rank equal to instructor and entitled them to count the years of service for a retiring allowance.

May I ask you at the same time to get a decision in the case of Mr. Stewart Wallace ?

Yours sincerely,

President.

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June 6th, 1919

Dr. Clyde Furst,

Secretary, The Carnegie Foundation,

576 Fifth Avenue, New York.

Dear Dr. Furst:

I am enclosing an application for a pension on the basis of age for Professor F. Keens.

Yours sincerely,

President.